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DAILY MORNING NEWS.

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Mr. Bryan's revenge on Senator Daniel, of Virginia, who lectured the great commoner so severely in a Washington hotel lobby last winter, is to see the senator sent to Denver under instructions to vote for him first, last and all the time. Mr. Bryan may never be president, but he is making not a few Democratic opponents walk under the yoke.

HIGH PRICES AND THE TARIFF.

The continued high cost of living and the declared intention of some of the trusts and combines to hold out for high prices must force the American people to consider the tariff and economic conditions in the coming campaign. As it is, the people are facing the extraordinary predicament of decreased wages and incomes and but little if any reduction in the prices of trust products. Many raw materials, such as iron, copper, cotton, and wool are much lower in price, but the finished products produced by the trusts are high in price as ever, for they still insist on such large profits that retail prices average nearly as much as they were before the panic. The price of iron has decreased about 30 per cent, but the tariff protected steel trust has made but a slight reduction in the price of its products in this country while export to foreign lands are being sold at a great reduction in price. Other trusts and combines, of which the beef combine is a sample, have even increased prices here and are also charged with selling abroad at a much less price.

The question, therefore, that the voters of the United States must settle at the coming election is whether they will continue in power the Republican party, the policies of which protect the trusts instead of curbing them. The Republican national platform may declare for a revision of the tariff, but it will also declare for the principle of protection.

THE REASON WHY.

The uncompromising attitude of the Taft managers at this final stage of their contest for control of the national convention is not hard to understand when one remembers that Mr. Taft may need these southern delegates to protect him from the long-threatened nightmare of a Roosevelt stampede. Every man of them will go into the convention knowing that he owes his seat entirely to the Taft machine's supremacy in the national committee, and this realization must tend to make such delegates obedient to the orders of Hitchcock in every crisis that might arise, whether concerning the candidate or the platform. Manager Hitchcock is, of course, obeying orders from Washington, and it is possible that in its zeal for incontestable control, the White House blundered in making Hitchcock play so bold and open a hand. The manager's own appearance, with two hired men, on the national committee, in the capacity of a "judge" in contested cases, might have been avoided and the travesty which the country has witnessed might have been more skillfully concealed. The withdrawal of the Taft manager from his solemn judicial office is to be noted not so much for its timeliness as for its implied confession. Yet the country understands the game thoroughly, and if Frank should resume his place on the committee and help decide a few more cases, the people would know that those delegates were needed in the business. When Mr. Taft has been safely nominated and the platform adopted, no one will exceed the nominee or his managers in pleading for party harmony.

Negro Boy Proves a Hero.

Circleville, O., June 13.—In a fire that destroyed the home of Rev. J. H. Meadows, missionary minister of the Negro Baptist church, this afternoon, his daughter, Ruth, was burned to death. Another child was rescued by a negro boy ten years old, who went through flames to the second floor to save the child. One child jumped from the second story window and was not injured. Fire was caused by the explosion of a gasoline stove.

Extensive Arrangements for Wedding.

Extensive preparations are being made for the marriage of Miss Sarah Goldstein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Goldstein, to Benjamin Rosen, Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock. The ceremony will take place at the Douglas street synagogue and the reception to the bride and groom will be held at Teutonia hall immediately after the marriage ceremonies are completed. The groom is from Pittsburgh.

Ten Die in a Chudburst.

Mexico City, Mex., June 14.—A flood at Jacala caused by a chudburst, caused ten deaths by drowning. Thirty houses were destroyed. Several other towns in the state of Puebla were damaged by the flood.

Youngstown—Three seriously burned; hemmed in by molten metal.

EVELYN'S BROTHER
ALLEGED VICTIM
OF PERSECUTION

Detroit, June 14.—Alleging that he was hounded out of Pittsburgh by the friends of Stanford White, and that they are hampering him in getting employment even in Detroit, Howard Nesbit, brother of Evelyn Thaw, is seeking a livelihood in this city. Private advice from New York is that Evelyn Nesbit herself may also come to make her home among the fashionable villas of pretty Crosse Pointe, the home of so many millionaires, on Lake St. Clair together with Mrs. Holman, her mother. The sale of a pretty cottage is talked of. Howard is at present employed as solicitor for an outdoor advertising concern.

Another story is that Nesbit's visit here is due to the fact that he is wanted in connection with an investigation, the district attorney of New York is making, which involves young Nesbit, and he could by arrangement be subpoenaed in Pittsburgh but no such arrangements have been made with the Michigan authorities.

Mr. Nesbit's personal appearance does not give the impression that he is in need of work. He frequents the downtown cafes, dresses in the height of fashion, occasionally announces that he was recently identified with a prominent trial and that his name is Howard Nesbit.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Dominic Julius, an Italian, living at 615 Madison street, met with a sudden death at his boarding place Sunday evening. He appeared to be in his usual good health and started upstairs to his room. When he reached the top of the stairway he fell to the landing and died in a few minutes, his death being attributed to heart disease. He was 37 years of age and since he has been in Canton he was employed at the Wheeling & Lake Erie round house. No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral.

George Hoverland, the aged veteran of the civil war, who was struck by a B. & O. passenger train near Sparta, Decoration day, died at his home between Sparta and Howenstein, Saturday afternoon, his age being 66 years.

Mr. Hoverland was a member of the 107th regiment and fought during the war under Captain Steiner. He is survived by one son, Homer Hoverland, living where he died, and Mrs. C. Snyder of this city. At 8:30 o'clock Tuesday morning the funeral services will be held at his late home and at 9:30 at the Meisheimer church, the interment being in the burial place connected with that organization. The services will be conducted by R. A. Cassidy, of this city, and by Rev. Keyser, of Sparta.

John Slater, who fell from the beer wagon that he was driving in South Cherry street, Friday morning, died at Aultman hospital Saturday evening about 6 o'clock. Owing to the condition of the man, who was unconscious at the hospital for a period of twenty-four hours. It was decided that an operation should be performed and this was done. His skull was fractured as a result of the fall upon the pavement. The operation was attempted to save the man's life, but he grew gradually weaker until death relieved him. Slater was 33 years of age and before accepting the position as a driver for the Stark Brewing company he operated a saloon in the west end of the city. His body was removed to Massillon, where his mother and two brothers reside. He was a member of Fleetfoot tribe of Red Men of this city. The funeral will be held at Massillon Monday afternoon and a number of his lodge brethren in this city will attend, leaving on the 1 o'clock car.

THIRD TERM TALK
WORRIES TAFTITES

(Continued from Page One.)

whelming numbers want him and the obviously wise thing to do is to nominate him. It ought to be done, and in my judgment it will be done. If nominated, he will accept. I am ready to stake my life upon it. He must accept. As a patriot and a lover of his country which needs and is demanding his further service, he cannot decline. He is not a candidate. Everybody understands that for he has twice said so, but he has never shirked public duty, and will not shirk it now.

"Incoming delegates are noisily informed by a few who want some one else—by those who do not want Roosevelt—that he would fiercely refuse to stand for re-election, and disregard the convention's will. It is not true. They say he has written a letter the past six days, peremptorily announcing that he would not accept, if nominated, it is false. Let them produce such a letter. I challenge them to produce it. The suggestion that he would run away from duty, and thus dishonor himself is preposterous. His latest critics have never accused him of cowardice."

The vice presidential situation outside the talk about the old ticket is in a muddle. Senator Dolliver is not averse to taking the place. He would prefer to remain in the senate. The Iowa delegation to a man is opposed to Dolliver's taking the nomination. The delegation had a meeting this afternoon but adjourned until tomorrow morning when they hope to have Senator Dolliver present.

Patrolmen go on Vacations.

Patrolman Emil Arr and Patrol Driver Smiley commenced their annual vacations Sunday. Patrolmen Lindemith and Tidwell returning to duty.

SOCIALISTS

Met in Massillon in Convention and Chose
Ticket for County

WRECK ON THE N. O. T.

Massillon, June 14.—The convention of the Socialists of the Eighteenth congressional district was held Saturday night in the Trades and Labor assembly hall. John T. Evans, organizer of the local party, called the meeting to order and Thomas P. Parker of Canton, was elected chairman, and Nicholas Weltlich of Massillon, secretary. With very little opposition Robert J. Wheeler of Massillon, was nominated for congress and J. Q. Boring of East Liverpool for presidential elector.

Albert E. Sprentall of New Berlin, Frank Eaton of Canton, and John Evans, of Massillon, were appointed as a committee to draw up a platform. Following are the nominees of the party: State senator—John Evans, Massillon.

Probate judge—Henry Hull, New Berlin.
Clerk of courts—John Herman, Canton.

Representatives—Robert Gow, Massillon, and Thomas P. Parker, Canton.
Sheriff—Nicholas Weltlich, Massillon.

Auditor—Frank Eaton, Canton.
Treasurer—Clarence Wiksom, Massillon.

Recorder—John T. Jenkins, Massillon.

County commissioners—Albert E. Sprentall, New Berlin; Harry Lavin, Canton; William Helmssoth, Massillon.

Coroner—Dr. Joel D. Holsten, Massillon.

Infirmary directors—Edward Milham, Massillon; Morris Alper, Canton, and William Cosack, Massillon.

In the platform, the party pledged its adherence to the principles of international socialism and to the platform drafted at the national convention.

A mistake in throwing a switch at Justus Siding on the N. O. T. & L. lines last night at 10:40 was responsible for a bad wreck in which three persons sustained minor injuries and two cars were considerably damaged.

Car No. 53 is scheduled to pass No. 52 at 10:40 at Justus siding, and the former was just entering the switch. Someone had thrown the switch wrong and the two heavy cars came together with a crash, headon. The fronts of each were battered in and considerable damage was done to the baggage rooms and the front trucks. Both cars were put entirely out of commission but they proved no hindrance to traffic. They were towed into the nearest car barn where they will be given extensive repairs.

Among the slightly injured were Mrs. Rose Arnold, Canal Dover, nose broken; Motorman Hoffman, Massillon, ankle sprained, and Henry Yocheim, Massillon, shaken and bruised. None were severely injured and all were able to resume their journeys. The cars contained many passengers from Massillon and Canton. A delay of one hour was caused but all were taken safely into port on the next car.

Conductor Hearne of New Philadelphia had charge of car No. 53 and Motorman Hoffman and Conductor Weyer of Massillon, were in charge of 52. The wreck will probably be charged to one of the conductors.

Lightning struck the home of L. Shoemaker on Guide street, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. It was supposed that the house was on fire and an alarm was sent to the Massillon fire department. The damage was very slight.

As an experiment in the cleaning of the Massillon streets, all of the paved thoroughfares of the downtown section were flushed with a fire hose last night at midnight. The experiment which was highly successful, was witnessed by Mayor Frantz, Chief Erle, City Engineer Howald and the members of board of public service.

Sneak Thief Swiped Suit Case.

A. Branfield, who says he just returned from the west, left his grip stand on the sidewalk in front of William Reed's place, South Court street, Sunday night, while he stopped to converse with an acquaintance. When he again looked for the suit case it was gone. He suspected a man whose description he left with the police.

Picnic Dinner at Mapleton.

Sunday, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Todd, of 310 High street, provided an elaborate picnic menu served to a large party of their Canton friends at the grove near their former home in Mapleton, strawberries from the large crop owned by the host formed a pleasant item of the menu.

Demon Bartl Reported Dying.

Youngstown, June 14.—Demon Bartl the well known wrestler, who was knocked out in a prize fight is thought to be dying. The pug who delivered the blow is held on a charge of assault with intent to kill.

Niles—Black Hand asks prominent merchant to leave country within month not wishing to go to expense of killing him.

Youngstown—Silva Silver attacked by drunken man and has leg broken.

Sandusky—Nick Brock, 19, bell boy at hotel, charged with \$2000 robbery.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Shields left yesterday for New York.

FAIRBANKS IS
GAINING FOR THE
SECOND PLACE

Indianapolis, June 14.—Indiana Republicans at Chicago are bringing pressure to bear upon Vice President Fairbanks to say that he would accept re-nomination and he is receiving many letters from prominent men throughout the country urging him to let his name be used. Friends here, who have talked to him, believe that he would accept second place but they understand that he will not say in advance what he would do if the nomination were tendered him. That was the policy he pursued four years ago and when the nomination came he accepted it.

It is believed here that the letters received by the president, many of which come from Chicago, are inspired by Indiana Republicans now there but who themselves who do not wish to advise Mr. Fairbanks on the subject as such advice might be construed into a weakening on the part of his Indiana friends. None of them believes that he has any chance of being nominated for first place and as this hope has waned the desire for his nomination for the vice presidency has increased.

BODY OF CHILD

But Few Days Old Found on North
Market Street Sidewalk.

At an early hour Sunday morning, when the janitor of the Old Ladies' Home, in North Market street, was sweeping the sidewalk in front of the property he made a gruesome find. He noticed lying on the narrow lawn a bundle which he supposed was a lot of cast off clothing, but on picking it up he discovered a stench that compelled him to hold his nostrils. He discovered that the package, which had evidently been placed there during the night, contained the dead and badly decomposed body of a little baby. The body was a plump one and it appeared to be that of an infant that had died several days after its birth.

He reported his find to the man at the police station and Captain Patterson, who was just about ready to leave his home for headquarters, was telephoned to and was ordered to stop at the place on his way down. He called for an undertaker and the one from Miller & Blanchard's responded immediately and took charge of the body. Coroner March was called to the undertaking establishment later in the day and viewed the body. As far as could be discovered there were no marks of violence on the body and from whence it came is a mystery.

CHECK FORGER

Confesses and Is Sent to Workhouse
by Mayor—Pleads for Leniency.

After admitting that he had forged several checks in small amounts and had them cashed by local merchants in payment for small purchases of goods, Jacob S. Smith, of Walash avenue, was sent to the workhouse Saturday evening. Attorney J. A. Rice appeared for the man and asked the mayor to be lenient as possible, owing to the fact that Smith had used the money thus obtained to keep his wife and children from want. It appears that Smith's brother did the same kind of work some months ago and Jacob at that time pleaded to the mayor for leniency in his case and himself paid back the money. In sentencing him to pay a fine of \$10 and costs and to serve ten days in the workhouse Mayor Turnbull called attention to this fact and told the man that it was for the sake of his wife and children that he was sent to the workhouse instead of the penitentiary.

Meeting of Horticultural Society.

The annual festival of the Stark county Horticultural society will be held at Nimisila park, Canton, on Wednesday, June 17. The dinner will be served as usual. Bring plenty of provisions. Ice cream, berries and cake will be for sale. Program in the afternoon. Essayist N. E. Moffitt.

EAST GREENVILLE.

East Greenville, June 14.—The concert given by Miss Myrtle Rodocker, of Stanwood and her pupils in the Congregational church, on Thursday evening, June 11, was a decided success. A very large and able program was delivered, which was highly spoken of by all present. This was Miss Rodocker's first attempt in that line of work and she has shown great talent thus far. The following program was rendered:

Organ Solo.....Miss Nonie Fribley
Recitation.....Miss Pearl Royer
Organ Solo.....Miss Myrtle Myers
Recitation.....Miss Mary Jacobs
Piano Solo.....Miss Emma Richards
Organ Solo.....Miss Mary Vantine
Duet.....Helen and Reese Reese
Recitation.....Miss Dora Wurtz
Organ Solo.....Miss Golda Graybill
Organ Solo.....Miss Beatrice Jenkins
Organ Solo.....Albert Williams
Recitation.....Miss Helen Davis
Piano Solo.....Miss Pearl Marchand
Song.....Miss Ada Shilling
Piano Solo.....Miss Mary Davis
Piano Solo.....Willie Davis
Recitation.....Miss Susie Jenkins
Song.....Miss Helen Davis
Piano Solo.....Miss Sarah Bevington
Song.....Miss Ada Shilling
Piano Solo.....Miss Celia Bremkamp
Piano Solo.....Miss Davis Carter
Song.....Albert Williams
Piano Duet.....Miss Jennie Eckroad
Recitation.....Miss Myrtle Rodocker
Recitation.....Miss Jennie Miller
Piano Solo.....Miss Pearl Marchand
Piano Solo.....Miss Celia Bremkamp
Song.....Miss Sarah Bevington

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NOTICE

The Stark County Board of School Examiners will hold meetings for examination of Applicants for teachers' certificates on the first Saturday of each month. High school lists will be given at each examination. Applicants for special certificates should notify the clerk at least ten days before the examination. Examinations of pupils under section 4029, R. S., will be held on the third Saturday of April and the second Saturday of May. Applicants should be present not later than 8:15 in the morning. They should provide themselves with penholders and pens. The Board will furnish ink and paper. All examinations will be held in the Canton high school building.
T. J. TEEPLE, Clerk, Massillon.
CARL H. MEYER, Canton.
JNO. H. FOCHT, Canal Fulton.

loaded several cars of hay at Freeburg Friday for R. Dourm.

Several of the boys had an old fashioned beiling at the home of Thomas Haines Wednesday evening in honor of their daughter, who was recently married to Mr. Crowl.

RANDOLPH.

Randolph, June 14.—Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel Royer and son, Howard, of Hartsville, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Laubert, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Shuman were in Akron Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reidinger spent Sunday in Marlboro.

Miss Frances Donalds is spending several days at George Dodge's in Ravenna.

Many friends and relatives attended the Shultz reunion held at Springfield Lake, Thursday.

Arthur Grohe, of Suffield, spent Thursday with Mrs. Emma Baer.

Adam Rothermel was in Atwater Friday.

M. M. Riedinger and daughter, Loretta, spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wilson, of Chestnut Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Jensen and daughter, Amy, of Ravenna, spent Sunday with Mrs. Maggie Reidinger, who accompanied them back to Ravenna in their automobile. On Monday morning Mrs. Reidinger went to Cuyahoga Falls, where she will spend several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Susan Reidinger.

Is there more money for the farmers in keeping cows than keeping sheep? It is well for the state that all farmers do not answer this question in the same way. In this township the industries are pretty evenly divided. While the Loomises and the Simons make a specialty of cattle, there are some very good flocks of sheep. Frank Price sheared 93 fleeces which averaged 7½ pounds. After shearing sold 55 sheep that averaged 110 pounds and brought the highest price in Pittsburgh market 6¼ cents. Meacham Bros. sheared 190 fleeces averaging 9½ pounds. After shearing the sheep average 108 pounds and sold at home at 5¼ cents. A shearing machine was used by both parties.

M. M. Reidinger and brother, Peter, were in Akron, Thursday.

Miss Eva Keller is spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. G. P. Shuman, of Atwater. Mr. Shuman left for Columbus Tuesday, where he was sent as a delegate of the K. O. T. M.

F. H. Hall, of Ravenna, spent Thursday and Friday with Peter Reidinger. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kline were at White's hospital in Ravenna, Monday, where Mr. Kline was one of eight who underwent an operation.

NEW FRANKLIN.

New Franklin, June 14.—Homer Ramser has typhoid fever.

Jason Leegarden has had his residence painted.

Jerome Miller, of Minerva, was visiting his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Crowl, last week.

Frank Haysam raised his barn, Thursday.

Louis Glass has returned from a visit to his brother, Harvey, at Minerva.

Samuel Bates made a trip to Alliance, Thursday.

William Neushuz, of Alliance, is visiting the family of Nicholas Ramser, Frank Unkefer acted as mail carrier Thursday.

Wesley Baird is slating his barn on the farm.

Mrs. J. W. Martin was called to Malvern Saturday on account of the illness of her daughter, Mrs. J. G. Fisher, Jr.

Township Trustees Mong, Hersh and Morrison were in town Friday on road business.

William Cooper, of East Rochester, was in town, Friday.

Mrs. Ida Cooper has returned from Little Washington, Pa., where she was in attendance upon the obsequies of her father.

STRINGTOWN.

Stringtown, June 14.—Mrs. Daniel Haynam and children visited relatives here Tuesday.

Rev. Thomas Lee went to West Union to spend several days, and preached at that place today.

Ellsworth Myers is roofing Eli McEnderfer's barn.

Amos Haynam is building an addition to his house.

Mr. and Mrs. Albertus Seighentaler, of Alliance, are spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Musser.

Jacob Newcomer raised his new barn this week.

Mrs. John Kibler and son, Hugh, of Minerva, visited relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Sponseller and son, Arthur, returned home from Canal Fulton, where they attended a reunion and visited Harry Albright.

Mrs. Lewis Speakman and Mrs. Winfield Roudsberg, of Minerva, called on Hobbard Crowl and family, Thursday.

Harry Dourm and Clarence Haines